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Precis (1 or 2 sentences; include classification): Algerian President
Bendjedid is trying to move Algeria away from
its previously close relationship with the Soviet
Union, but he will maintain a working relationship
with Moscow to maintain Algerian nonalignment and
preserve access to Soviet military equipment. The
Soviets are concerned by Algeria's shift, but they
have not made concessions on military or economic
deals with Algeria to sway Bendjedid's course.

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